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SURROUNDED BY WATER

A Bad State of Affairs at the Laconia Circle.

HOUSES AND STOCK SWEPT AWAY.

The Water on an Average of Eight Feet in the Circle—The Calamity Happened Very Suddenly and People Had No Time to Save Any of Their Effects—The List of Dead at Louisville Now Placed at Ninety-Three.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—Information from what is known as "the Laconia Circle," a tract of country between Helena and Arkansas City, which is practically surrounded by the Mississippi and White rivers, is to the effect that the people there are in a deplorable condition. The water poured over the levee on all sides, and in three hours the circle was filled even with the surface of the rivers, the water averaging eight feet deep. Their houses, stock and everything else they owned was in the water and in some cases swept away before they realized what had happened.

Arrival of a Relief Boat.

The citizens of Helena sent the steamer Houston Coombs down there [illegible] as a relief boat, to aid the people. A correspondent on board wrote that when the steamer arrived at the circle a number of houses were found to have been [illegible] off their blocks, or stilts, and others were badly careened over into the water. People had been living in the lofts, and when these careened they could only escape by making holes in the roofs. Several people were blown into the water and swam to trees, where they remained all of last Thursday night, and a number of cattle were blown from the levees and drowned. On Friday men went over the whole circle in skiffs and transferred people from their roofs to the gin houses, which are generally large and substantial buildings.

Many Planters Ruined.

All these houses are now packed with people, 200 persons being in some of them. The Coombs brought out 100 people and 110 head of stock, and took them to Helena. When the Coombs came out of the circle, the steamer Titan with barges was going in, and it is thought that they could bring out all the remaining stock and as many of the people as desire to get away. Many of the planters in the circle are utterly ruined, and the remainder have no seed to plant even should the water subside in time to put in a crop. The suffering has been and will be great, and aid of all kinds will be necessary to carry the people through their affliction.

VICTIMS OF THE CYCLONE.

The Total Number of Killed at Louisville Placed at Ninety-Three.

LOUISVILLE, April 1.—The total number killed here by the tornado [illegible] is ninety-three. [illegible] Pearson, of Pittsburg, is dead [illegible]. So far about 150 badly wounded persons have been found. Several of those who were worst hurt are at the hospitals in a dying condition. Fritz Dip is among the unknown [illegible].

Webster County Victims.

The total of the killed in Webster county is forty, and of wounded sixty. A relief corps has gone out from there. A coat found near Henderson contained papers which showed that it had been blown from Paducah, 100 miles away. A check made here for $543, in favor of a Louisville tobacco firm, was found in a yard twelve miles outside of Cincinnati.

Vetoed the Saxton Ballot Bill.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—Governor Hill has sent to the legislature a message vetoing the so-called Saxton ballot reform bill. He said the bill contained the same provisions which he had for the past two years declared to be unconstitutional. He objected to the exclusively official ballot because the provisions for its use [illegible] hinder and impede the exercise of the elective franchise and discriminate against the individual elector and impose upon him a ballot not authorized or contemplated by the constitution. The provisions for an exclusively official ballot prevent an illiterate elector from voting a secret ballot. They absolutely compel him not only to publicly confess his illiteracy, but also to disclose the contents of his ballot to two election officers.

Life in West Virginia.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 1.—The bloody Brumfield-Runyon feud in Lincoln county, which has cost six lives, is now being fought out in the courts. The feud originated over the ownership of a large amount of timber, and John W. Runyon is now suing Allen Brumfield for it. Allen Brumfield is the man who was shot, with his wife, by hired assassins whom it is alleged Runyon paid to kill them. Both of Brumfield's would-be murderers were lynched, while Runyon had to flee the country. Four other persons were also killed during the outbreak. Both factions are attending the trial at the court in Lincoln county fully armed, and a collision there is not improbable.

Got Notice to Quit.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 1.—Up till Monday evening there was every prospect of a fracas at the Allegheny City postoffice. John A. Gilleland, the Republican recently appointed postmaster, had expressed his determination to take office at 12 o'clock Monday night. John Swan, the Democratic incumbent, however, asserted that he had not been officially relieved, his commission read for four years from April 26, 1886. He declared that he would not surrender possession until April 26 next. At 5 o'clock, however, Mr. Swan received a telegram from Postmaster General Wanamaker giving him "notice to quit," and he yielded peaceable possession.

Condition of the City of Paris.

QUEENSTOWN, April 1.—The sections of the engine room of the disabled steamship City of Paris have been finally freed of water. A number of additional steam pumps were set to work and the water was entirely pumped out. The steamship now appears to have her usual draught. The divers have succeeded in stanching the ingress of water. Quite a large hole was found in the bottom of the steamer. The officials of the Inman Line Steamship company have decided to have the disabled vessel towed to Liverpool.

The Cattle Barons Must Go.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 1.—The commissioner of Indian affairs has directed Indian agents located within the Indian territory to see that, in accordance with the president's proclamation of Feb. 17 last, all cattle and live stock held on the Cherokee outlet are removed from those lands by the 1st of October next.

ARCHBISHOP HEISS BURIED.

Pontificial Requiem Mass Celebrated by Cardinal Gibbons.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 1.—The obsequies of the late Archbishop Michael Heiss of the diocese to La Crosse, took place at St. Johns' cathedral, where the remains have been lying in state since Saturday. Admission to the edifice was by ticket, but every portion of the sacred structure was crowded. Inside the church, clad in full vestments, were Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, and Archbishop Feehan, of Chicago; Bishops Seidenbush, northern Minnesota; Marty, Sioux Falls, Dak.; McGolrich, Duluth; Cotter, Winona; Spaulding, Peoria; Hennesy, Dubuque; Janssen, Belleville; Foley, Detroit; Richter, Grand Rapids; Katser, Green Bay, Wis.; Vertin, Marquette; Flasch, La Crosse; and Ryan, Alton, Ill. Over 200 priests were also present.

The Ceremonies.

The funeral ceremonies were of the usual imposing nature. Cardinal Gibbons celebrated the pontifical requiem mass, Bishop Hennesy, of Dubuque, preached a sermon in English, and Bishop Katser, of Green Bay one in German. At the conclusion of the exercises the casket was conveyed to St. Francis seminary. Here it was watched all night by the students of the institution, and the final interment took place next day in the vault beneath the chapel of St. Francis beside the remains of Rev. Dr. Salzman, his life-long friend. This was the last expressed wish of the deceased prelate. The procession was the longest in the history of the state.

OUR LIBERTY IN PERIL.

The Bronze Woman on Bedloe's Island Likely to Take a Bath.

NEW YORK, April 1.—It is reported that Bedloe's island is slowly sinking into the waters of New York bay. A suspicion that such was the case has existed in the minds of those conversant with the locality for the past year. An examination by a few practical engineers during the past few days confirms this belief, and leaves no doubt, it is said, that the statue of Liberty is eight feet lower than when erected. Bedloe's island is a rock and was supposed to be as enduring as the world itself and would be, were it not for the fact that it is the extreme of an enormous shelf underneath which is a bed of quicksand which extends across this section east and west.

Cause of the Possible Disaster.

The Central railroad of New Jersey crosses it at one point, and it has been the cause of an immense amount of trouble and work to that corporation to keep its track above ground. It is thought that the part of the shelf rock which forms the island has broken off, and the rock foundation of the statue is slowly but surely sinking out of sight into the waters of New York bay. Of course the cause of the breaking of the rock shelf is not hard to tell; that calamity was undoubtedly caused by the immense weight of the stone pedestal on which the statue is placed.

DROVE INTO THE TORRENT.

An Obstinate Farmer Loses His Own and Two Other Lives.

MILFORD, Ills., April 1.—Grant Adsit, his wife, his 2-year-old child, and a young daughter of Elmore Thomas attempted to cross Sugar creek ford, four miles northwest of here, and three of the party were drowned, Mrs. Adsit being the only one left to relate the sad story. The stream was raging, and the wife protested in vain against attempting to cross. The wagon bed was lifted and borne down-stream. Adsit threw off his heavy clothing and plunged into the water, trying repeatedly to push the floating box to the shore.

The Little Babe Goes Down.

After desperate efforts he succumbed and sank. Miss Thomas was thrown out and also drowned. Mrs. Adsit clung to the wagon bed, but her babe was drowned before her eyes, and afterward managed to grasp the willows which overhung the stream and drag herself ashore. Searching parties have been exploring the creek, but no bodies have been recovered.

A CATHOLIC CONVENT BURNED.

A Number of the Inmates Barely Escape with Their Lives.

MILWAUKEE, April 1.—Fire broke out in the evening about 9 o'clock in St. Joseph's Catholic convent on Greenfield avenue, and the entire building and its contents were burned, the seventy-five occupants of the building barely escaping with their lives, and having no time to save any of their belongings. Sister Blanker, who was on the fourth floor, finding escape cut off jumped from a window, breaking her left leg and all her ribs. She can not live. Two young candidates, Rose Minet and Mary Werener, jumped from the third-story windows and were seriously injured. Two firemen were also injured by the falling walls, but not seriously. All the other inmates succeeded in getting out safely under the guidance of the sisters, who prevented many young girls from flinging themselves from the windows in their fright. The loss is $40,000, on which there is an insurance of only $25,000.

An Incendiary Madman's Attempt.

FREDERICK, Md., April 1.—George W. Tobias, an insane patient, attempted to burn the Montvue hospital early Sunday morning. He scraped the plastering off the partition wall in his room, pulled out several laths, and broke them into kindling wood. Forcing the door he seized a lantern hanging in the hall, and with it ignited the kindling. The smoke soon filled the corridors, and when the watchman hurried to the burning room he found Tobias dancing about the fire in his bare feet. He grappled with the watchman, but was soon overcome. They succeeded in extinguishing the fire, and in the excitement the crazy man escaped.

The Turbulent Hun Again.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—A Hungarian walking on the railroad track at the Fort Hill coke works, near Dickerson Run, was struck by a train and instantly killed. Several of his companions, angered at his death, attacked the trainmen with stones. Citizens interfered and averted a bloody fight. The riotous Huns were arrested and taken to jail.

Thinks the Jesuits Are Safe Now.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, April 1.—Father Kreusch, pastor of St. John's cathedral, and head of the Jesuit school here, has announced his intention of returning to Germany. He thinks the retirement of Bismarck will be followed by a change in the attitude of the imperial government toward the Jesuits in the old country.

Wants to Sell a Penitentiary.

COLUMBUS, O., April 1.—A resolution has been offered in the Ohio house of representatives to request the Ohio congressmen to urge the general government to purchase the intermediate penitentiary now in course of construction at Mansfield, and to convert it into a national prison.

A PESTIFEROUS FORCE.

Remarks of a Minister on the Chinese Question.

HOT DEBATE AT A GODLY MEETING.

Rev. Jesse H. Jones, as a Christian Minister and as a Knight of Labor Says the Chinese Should Be Excluded from This Country to Protect Our Own Interest—Protest of a Returned Chinese Missionary.

BOSTON, April 1.—The regular meeting of Congregational ministers in Pilgrim's hall was an unusually lively affair. After the discussion of the "Sunday question," the secretary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions read a letter from the Hon. John D. Foster, of Washington, D. C., calling attention to the bill, which has already passed the house and is now pending in the senate of the United States, providing for the enumeration of the Chinese in the United States, the effect of which will apparently be to exclude from this country all Chinese merchants, students, tourists and all others, except members of the diplomatic corps. Dr. Smith offered resolutions and moved their adoption, protesting against the proposed legislation "as an unrighteous violation of the existing treaty with China, as a wanton disregard of the welfare and safety of our faithful and devoted missionaries now at work in China, and as injurious alike to the business interests and the good name of our nation," and requesting the Massachusetts senators and representatives to do their utmost to prevent the enactment of the proposed law.

Wants to Exclude Ah Sin.

Scarcely had Dr. Smith finished reading the resolutions, when the Rev. Jesse H. Jones, of Abington, sprang to his feet, and vigorously protested against the resolutions. As a Christian minister, and Knight of Labor, he declared that the Chinese were a pestiferous force, and ought to be excluded from this country as a protection to the American people.

The Rev. Wm. E. Griffis, D. D., warmly seconded the resolutions, and declared that we had no more right to exclude the Chinese than any other foreigners. We had already broken our treaties with them; the situation was already serious for our merchants and missionaries in China, and the passage of the proposed bill would only add fuel to the flame of hatred already kindled.

Remarks of a Missionary.

The Rev. H. P. Beach, a Chinese missionary who returned to this country about a week since, indignantly protested against the proposed bill. He said he realized that the brother (Mr. Jones) had grievances and that the cases he represented had grievances. "When he said he was a Knight of Labor I believed him, but when he said he was a Christian minister I was surprised. I do not realize how any Christian minister can wish such a bill as this to pass. Thank God China is Confucian. Confucian religions are superior to those religions which we possess, if this bill is a specimen of it."

The Rev. Dr. Woodworth also warmly seconded the resolutions, which were adopted almost unanimously.

To Wrestle with the Race Question.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 1.—The diocesan convention, which will meet here on May 7, will have again to wrestle with the negro problem. In 1886 nearly one-half of the delegates seceded from the convention because the bishop admitted a negro clergyman. Various efforts have been made to effect a compromise but without much success. The congregation of St. Phillip's church, in this city, promises to divide on the question. Two manifestos were issued Monday by the contending factions. The conservative faction are ready to admit the Rev. J. H. M. Pollard, the colored rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church, with the proviso that no other colored clergyman shall be admitted. The other faction decline to make even this concession. The fight promises to be warm and bitter.

Two Old Men Stabbed.

NEWARK, N. J., April 1.—A daring murder took place in Hermon's hat factory, at the corner of Hunterdon and Cabinet streets, Monday afternoon. James Smith, alias "Fiddler," who has served a sentence in the state prison, stabbed Fred Butler and George Hastings, both men of 60 years. All the parties are hatters. The wounded men were at once removed to the hospital. There it was found that Mr. Hastings had been badly cut across the bowels, and he died at 5:30 o'clock. Mr. Butler was cut in the breast and his condition is serious. Smith had accused Hastings of causing his discharge. He attacked Hastings and Butler was stabbed while trying to assist Hastings.

Cannot Find the Will.

BUTTE, Mont., April 1.—Since the death of Andrew J. Davis, the banker, which occurred some three weeks ago, his relatives here and in New York and Chicago have been hunting high and low for his will, but up to now no such document has been discovered. Saturday in the district court here two separate petitions were filed, one by Henry A. Root, of New York, and the other by John E. Davis, of this city, praying for letters of administration on the estate of the deceased broker. The estate is valued at about $7,000,000.

Shot by His Wife.

CARROLL, Iowa, April 1.—At 2 o'clock in the afternoon Stanley Wilcox was fatally shot by his wife. He rushed from the house where he lived, and fell prostrate in a store adjoining, crying, "My wife shot me." Mrs. Wilcox was found in her room sobbing violently. A revolver with one chamber empty was lying by her side. She was placed in jail. Nothing is known of the cause of the crime, but it is no secret that they have not been living happily and bear a rather hard name.

Charity Property in Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 1.—The state board of public charities has made out in detail for the United States census report a list of all the property owned by the state and its value. The buildings are valued at $22,164,000; lands, $328,000; miscellaneous property, equipment for National guard, furniture, etc., $2,650,000; total value of state property, $25,142,000. The state house is rated at $4,000,000.

A Ghastly Discovery.

DETROIT, Mich., April 1.—Boys playing in Bloody run, a small stream in the eastern part of the city, discovered human remains in a hole which is being filled up. The ghastly fragment is that of the left side of a man's body with one leg attached. The head was missing. The fact that the flesh remains on the bones leads the coroner to believe that the body was not cut up by the medical students.

THE GRIM REAPER.

Representative Wilber Dead.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 1.—Representative David Wilber, of New York, died at his home in Oneonta, Otsego county, N. Y. Mr. Wilber was one of the three congressmen elected to the house who have not taken their seats. The other two are ex-Speaker Randall and Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee. It is understood that Mr. Wilber's funeral will occur on Thursday next. A congressional committee will attend. The chaplain of the house in his prayer Tuesday morning feelingly alluded to the death of Mr. Wilber, and invoked for his bereaved family divine protection and comfort.

An Indiana Millionaire Dead.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 1.—Hon. John Reynolds, of Olive township, this county, died Monday night from a gastric ulcer, aged 76 years. He was a millionaire and owned a controlling interest in the First National bank of South Bend, and First National bank at Michigan City. He was also president of Buchanan's Michigan bank and a large stockholder in the Union National bank of Chicago. He was an ex-member of the legislature, and widely known in financial circles.

Prominent Cincinnati Lawyer Dead.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 1.—Timothy D. Lincoln, a prominent lawyer of this city, died at 3 o'clock in the morning at his residence, 290 West Seventh street, aged 55. He was a member of the law firm of Lincoln, Stephens & Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln was the chief counsel for the Catholic church in the great Archbishop Purcell suit, and won his case, getting, it is said, $35,000 for his victory.

Mr. Hugh Collender.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Mr. Hugh Collender, of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Billiard Table Manufacturing company, died at 10:35 o'clock in the morning at his home, 5 East Eighty-sixth street. His death was caused by Bright's disease.

Rev. C. Reimensnyder.

LANCASTER, Pa., April 1.—Rev. C. Reimensnyder, connected with the American Sunday-school union, died Tuesday morning, aged 71 years. He was a brother-in-law of ex-Senator Allen G. Thurman.

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

The Dependent Pension Bill Passed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 1.—The senate Monday passed the dependent pension bill, the nays being: Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Cockrell, Colquitt, Daniel, Harris, Jones (Ark.), Pugh, Reagan, Vest, Wilson (Md.)—12. The vote in the affirmative numbered 42. The bill gives a pension to every soldier or sailor who served ninety days and was honorably discharged, and who is dependent on charity for his sustenance, to his minor children or to his dependent parents. The amount of the pension is $12 per month to the soldier.

The senate Tuesday morning passed house bill authorizing the Mississippi river commission to purchase or hire such boats as may be immediately necessary to rescue inhabitants of the overflowed districts, and to use the boats for that purpose. At 12:30 the senate went into secret session, and the galleries and corridors were cleared.

House Proceedings.

The house passed the senate bill creating the offices of surveyors general in North and South Dakota; house bill admitting free of duty articles from Mexico to the St. Louis exposition of 1890; and house bill providing that affidavits and declarations in pension cases may be taken before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes.

The house passed the bill authorizing the construction of bridges across the Iowa river at or near Wapello, Iowa; also a bill transferring from Galena, Ills., to Dubuque, Iowa, the offices of inspectors of hulls and boilers.

Heard the Voice of Gladstone.

NEW YORK, April 1.—While the American Co-operative and Building Loan associations were in session here some time ago it was announced that a phonogram from Gladstone was on its way to the meeting. It failed to arrive in time, but Monday it reached its destination, and a number of gentlemen were invited to hear it "go off," among them Gen. Sherman, Carl Schurz, Erastus Wiman, and Gen. Stewart L. Woodford. There were also present Mrs. Cleveland and a number of ladies. The message was put in a phonograph and immediately the voice of Gladstone was heard delivering a brief homily on thrift and self-help—both of which were commended—and a warning against their danger when they produced wealth, which was called the mother of temptation and the progenitor of a new form of slavery, from which Gladstone hoped all lands, and especially all lands of the English tongue, might hold themselves forever free.

Confessed His Guilt.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 1.—For some time the Meyers Shoe company has been missing registered letters containing remittances from customers. Charles Mietenz, a stenographer employed by the firm, was taken to the police station, where Inspector Reimer secured not only an admission of guilt but a confession that the culprit, who has made bank deposits for the firm, took $200 from a deposit of $900 intrusted to his care, altered the bank book to correspond and had arranged to escape Monday evening. Mietenz is locked up.

Ex-President Classen Indicted.

NEW YORK, April 1.—P. J. Classen, the ex-president of the Sixth National bank, has been indicted by the grand jury on a charge of embezzling, abstracting and misapplying the funds of the bank. Argument on the indictment will be held April 11.

Killed on the Track.

SHELBY, Ohio, April 1.—John Kingsbury, aged 56 years, of this place, was struck and killed at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, while walking on the track by a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train. He leaves a family.

Pension for Mrs. Hartranft.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 1.—The senate committee on pensions has reported to the senate favorably the bill granting a pension of $100 a month to the widow of the late Gen. Hartranft, of Pennsylvania.

Awarded Heavy Damages.

PARIS, April 1.—In the suit of Gibbs & Sons against the Societe Des Metaux, a verdict has been returned in favor of the plaintiffs, awarding them 1,018,499 francs damages and the costs of the action.

Suicided While Despondent.

NEWARK, N. J., April 1.—Louis Bub, a well-known saloon keeper of this city, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. Despondency over financial troubles is the supposed cause.

Strikers to Resume Work.

MADRID, April 1.—The striking factory hands in Catalonia have agreed to resume work pending negotiations.

SPRING STRIKES ARE ON

The Ball Opened by the Plumbers of Chicago.

NEARLY ONE THOUSAND MEN IDLE.

About All the Shops in the City Affected by the Strike—The Men Want $3.75 Per Day for Good and Bad Workmen Alike—War Among the Knights of Labor at St. Louis—Cause of the Trouble—New York Bricklayers.

CHICAGO, April 1.—True to their resolutions adopted at Monday night's meeting, the journeymen plumbers struck Tuesday morning, and it is said that there are nearly 1,000 men out. Plumbers have been getting $3.15 for second-class men and $3.60 for first-class men, but the men say that all of the master plumbers in Chicago combined have but thirty-five men who are making $3.60 a day, while some men, they say, are compelled to work for as little as $2.

What the Men Want.

It has been announced that the men wanted uniform wages of $3.75 for good and bad workmen alike, and that they wanted a half-holiday Saturday. The demand was $3.75 as the minimum wages, and, if the Saturday half-holiday is granted, a deduction of half a day from the week's pay. Nearly every shop in the city is affected by the strike, all the men employed by the Master Plumbers' association leaving their work Tuesday morning. The bosses will call a meeting at once to discuss the situation.

The striking plumbers held a meeting Tuesday morning at their headquarters, 36 La Salle street. They are enthusiastic and confident of winning.

TROUBLE AT ST. LOUIS.

Jealousies Between the English and German Knights of Labor.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 1.—War has broken out afresh among the Knights of Labor, and the upshot of the fuss is that district assembly No. 191, including all the German assemblies in the city, has returned its charter to the Powderly headquarters in Philadelphia, and this action has been followed by a similar proceeding on the part of the six local assemblies which constitute that district. The charter has not only been returned to the national headquarters, but in addition to this resolutions were adopted declaring that the brewery workmen were tired of the intrigues in the organizations, and had decided to leave it and maintain an independent association. The trouble grows out of old jealousies between the English and German assemblies.

New York Union Bricklayers.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The bricklayers have entered into a contract with the firms employing union men for another year's work under the nine hour clause. Many of the men desired an eight hour schedule but a compromise was effected on an advance of 5 cents an hour. This makes a daily rate of $4.05 for the succeeding year.

A CIRCUS BOAT WRECKED.

The Passengers Camped on a Sawdust Mound with the Wild Beasts.

CAIRO, Ills., April 1.—A detailed report of the wrecking of the circus steamer City of St. Paul at Island No. 8, twenty miles below here, by Thursday evening's tornado has just been received. The crew and the wild beasts saved from the wreck are in distress. Only the stern of the boat is visible, and it rests on the bank. The cabin was carried away by the storm, and a cage of tigers and several trained dogs were lost. The rest of the animals and circus paraphernalia were saved.

Surrounded by Miles of Water.

The crew, consisting of twenty-three people, six of whom are women, are encamped on a sawdust mound about a quarter of an acre in dimensions, which is the only spot above the flood line in sight for miles around. The women are in a small hut, but the men have been without shelter for three days and nights in rain and cold. They have run short of provisions, and the wild beasts have become ravenously hungry. The boat and circus are owned by George Edwards, and were bound for St. Paul.

Celebrating Bismarck's Birthday.

BERLIN, April 1.—All Germany is celebrating Prince Bismarck's birthday. There has never been such a demonstration at any previous anniversary. The festivities at Friedrichsruhe began with a torchlight procession Monday night and continued Tuesday. Hundreds of deputations and societies are arriving by rail and trooping to the castle. Upward of 2,000 telegrams of congratulation from all parts of the world have been received. Prince Bismarck will remain at Friedrichsruhe until May 1, when he will go to Baden.

Died of His Injuries.

CHICAGO, April 1.—Louis Metzold, the tenth victim of the sugar refinery explosion, died at the county hospital Tuesday morning after suffering the most intense pain. He was taken to the hospital after being dug out of the ruins on the night of the disaster. His head and body had been terribly burned and his internal injuries were of such a nature that his recovery could hardly be hoped for. He lived at 194 De Koven street.

A Monument to Bismarck.

BERLIN, April 1.—The president of the reichstag, Herr Von Levetzow, as the chairman of a committee made up of prominent and influential Germans, without regard to political predelictions, has formulated an address to the German people inviting them to subscribe for the erection of a national monument in Berlin to Prince Bismarck. The kaiser will be asked to patronize the enterprise.

Czar and Emperor to Meet.

COLOGNE, April 1.—The Gazette has a St. Petersburg dispatch which says that an arrangement has been made for a meeting between the German emperor and the czar during the coming summer. The same paper also says that the Russian army manoeuvres at Sarskoe-Selo, eighteen miles southeast of St. Petersburg, will be attended by the Emperor William.

One Man Blown to Pieces.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—An explosion occurred at the metallic cap works at Bethayres, on the Bound Brook railroad. One man was killed, his body being blown to pieces. Houses were shaken and glass broken in windows at Somerton, four miles distant from the scene of the explosion.

Mrs. Sarah Shortridge Dead.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 1.—Mrs. Sarah E. Shortridge, secretary of the Christian woman's board of missions, died at her residence in this city at 4:30 o'clock in the morning.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The safe in the office of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, at Fort Scott, was blown open by burglars Monday night and robbed of $1,000 in cash. The burglars overlooked a package of $500.

The wood workers of Bath, Mo., have asked an increase of 25 cents a day after April 1.

In a fight between negroes and whites at Brantley, Tex., Saturday, one negro and one white man were killed and four negroes dangerously wounded.

Dom Pedro has declined a grant of 250,000 francs decreed him by the Brazilian government.

It is reported that in the Tennessee penitentiary women are stripped to the waist and flogged on the bare back.

Freight and cattle trains on the Illinois Central collided at Cobden, Ills., Monday. One locomotive and six cars were ditched.

Harmon Hoffman, a butcher at Lima, Ohio, has been relieved of a tapeworm, thirty feet long, that had been troubling him for fifteen years.

News has been received of the death at Los Angeles, Cal., of Donald Graham, formerly of the Bloomington, Ills., bar.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis says that her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hayes, of Colorado Springs, and her husband, have changed their little son's name to Jefferson Hayes Davis, "so that there shall be one to bear the beloved and honored name of his own blood."

Fire destroyed the Mount Vernon brewery at Ellenville, N. Y., Sunday night. Loss, $50,000; insurance, $1,000.

Lake Huron is clear of ice north of Mackinac island. The straits will probably not be open, however, before the 10th inst.

Fred Cook, a popular young man of Sioux City, was drowned Sunday morning while out duck hunting on McCook lake, in Dakota. George Jackson, one of the party that searched for Cook, in getting out of a boat discharged both barrels of a shotgun into his arm, so that it had to be amputated.

Hopson Hurd, of the wholesale grocery firm of Babcock, Hurd & Co., of Cleveland, Ohio, committed suicide Monday by shooting himself through the head in the bathroom of his residence. He had been in poor health for some time.

Dynamite exploded in the Coalburg (Ala.) mines Monday, killing four men and wounding eight others.

Charles Rockey was arrested at Pekin, Ill., Sunday, and in his rooms a quantity of counterfeiter's implements were found. Dr. Barcus, an alleged accomplice, escaped.

Hon. Charles Danforth, aged 74, justice of the Maine supreme court, died Sunday night.

The revenue collections at Peoria, Ill., during March aggregated $1,749,098.

A stringent act for the suppression of trusts, pools, and combinations was passed unanimously Monday by the Iowa house.

Six hundred union men have been locked out of the Lubeck timber-yards and saw-mills because they refused to work with non-union employes.

The visible supply of wheat and corn is, respectively, 27,111,093 and 9,294,686 bushels.

The Land Purchase Bill.

LONDON, April 1.—The Times commenting on the land purchase bill, says that it would prefer the matter be left to the free play of economical forces, but it considers Mr. Balfour's bill an honest effort to deal with the problem. The land department consolidation clauses the paper objects to, because though possibly unavoidable, they tend to stereotype some of the worst features of the agrarian legislation advocated by Mr. Gladstone. The Standard says that the thoroughness of the work defies the strictures of the most captious, although the minuteness of detail tempts criticism.

Collision of Freight Trains.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 1.—Two freight trains collided near Sweetwater, on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, Monday morning. Engineer William Trolinger and Fireman John Hutchinson were instantly killed and several of the train hands fatally hurt. The trains were ascending a heavy grade when the first train broke and part of it started back down the grade and struck the other engine, which, with fifteen cars, was derailed and demolished.

Three Men Drowned.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—The Picayune's Greenville (Miss.) special says: Two whites and one negro coming from Stoneville to Greenville in a skiff Monday were drowned by the upsetting of the boat. Their names have not been learned. A number of casualties have resulted from skiffs coming in contact with wire fences and other hidden obstructions.

Runs Afoul of Shoe and Leather Men.

BOSTON, April 1.—The executive committee of the New England Shoe and Leather association Monday voted that they were opposed to any increase in the duty on flax or linen thread, and that a strong petition should be prepared and circulated for signatures, to be forwarded to the ways and means committee in Washington City at once.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 1.

Produce: Butter—Fancy Elgin, 22½@23c per lb; fine creameries, 18@21; dairies, finest, fresh, 18@20c; fresh packing stock, 6@8c. Eggs—Strictly fresh, 13c per doz. Dressed poultry—Chickens, 9½@10c per lb; turkeys, 10@12c; young hens, 15@15½c; ducks, 12@14c. Apples—Fair to choice, $3.00@4.50 per bbl.

New York.

NEW YORK, April 1.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, 88½@88¾c cash; April, 86¾c; May, 87c; June, 86¼; July, 85⅝c. Corn—No. 2 mixed cash, 37⅝c cash; do April, 36⅞c; do May, 36⅝c; do June, 37⅛c. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed 28⅝c cash; do April, 28⅜c; do May, 28⅞c; do June, 27⅝c. Rye—Dull. Barley—Nominal. Pork—Firm; $11.75@12.25 for new. Lard—Dull but steady; April, $6.49; May, $6.50.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, April 1.

Wheat—Weak. No. 2 on track cash, 74@74½c; May, 73¾c; No. 1 northern, 82c. Corn—Firm; No. 3 on track, 30@30½c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white on track, 24½@25c. Rye—Steady; No. 1 in store, 41c. Barley—Steady. No. 2 in store 45½.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, April 1.

Wheat—Quiet and firm; cash, 81½c. May, 81⅝c; July, 78⅞c, August, 77⅞c. Corn—Firm; cash, 31½c; May, 33c; July, 3⅛c. Oats—Steady; cash, 23c bid; May, 24c. Clover seed—Quiet; cash and April, $3.55; October, $3.55 bid.

Detroit.

DETROIT, April 1.

Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 81⅝c; No. 2 red cash, 80⅝c; April, 80⅝c; May, 81⅝c; July, 78⅞c; August, 77⅝c. Corn—No. 2 cash and April, 31½c; May, 11c asked. Oats—No. 2 cash and No. 2 white cash, 25c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.

Wheat—Firm; cash, 78⅝c; options lower; May, 76⅝c; July, 74⅝c. Corn—Higher; cash, 26⅝c; May, 26⅞@27c; July, 28⅝@28⅞c. Oats—Higher; cash, 22⅝@22⅞c; May, 22¾@22⅞. Pork—Firm; $10.50. Lard—Firm; $6.05 asked. Whisky—Steady; $1.02.

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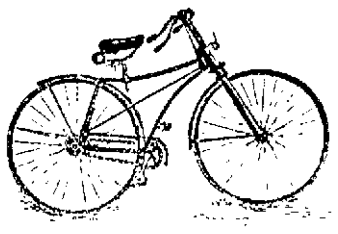

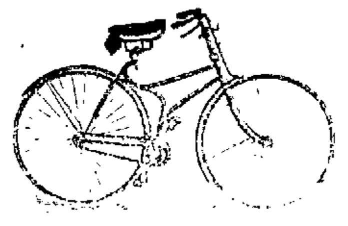

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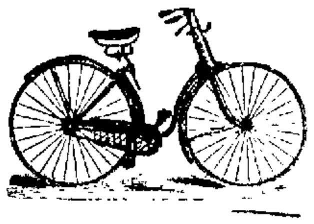

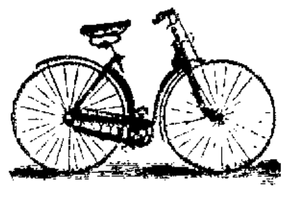

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WEDNESDAY APRIL 2, 1890

GIVE US A TICKET.

All day long, yesterday, democrats kept dropping into THE REVIEW office to ask if there was not, somewhere, a democratic ticket which they might take along for the purpose of purifying some ballot box. There was no such ticket in Decatur township, and each of the voters who inquired had to be told the humiliating story. Along about 9 o'clock in the morning we became so much ashamed of the cowardly confession that we called the "devil" into the audience room and turned over to his boundless nerve and happy ignorance the business of saying "no." He did well enough during the greater part of the day, but for the last hour that the polls remained open he was reduced to the necessity of looking very sad and shaking his head. The office cat fled in despair about 3 p. m. If anyone should find its tattered remains and broken heart this morning, give them decent burial. It was a great cat in its day, but it had to succumb to overpining on account of opportunities deferred. We have all heard of the eating canker there is about hope deferred, but this would be a soothing balm to the man who is wrenched and wracked by want of opportunity. Delayed hope, no opportunity! There is no comparison between the two; no more than there is between freedom and slavery. The man who hopes is at least up and doing something, while the man who has opportunity taken from him is slave to some bankrupt and pauper master, and there is nothing for him to do but rot by the wayside.

Yes, it is very true that the democrats of this township had no ticket yesterday. THE REVIEW hopes that such an election day may never come upon us again. A year ago we had a ticket in the field, and the fight that was made showed us that we had much to expect from the future. We won a point or two in that round and got the boys into the way of thinking that there is such a thing as a democratic party in Decatur. The common enemy came out to meet us yesterday, served notice of its coming, and found that we had retired from the fighting business. We had plenty men on the ground who were willing and anxious to fight with us, and yet there was nothing to tell them but that they might vote for some regular republican nominee, or transfer their allegiance, for the time being, to the moon. They came out to assist democrats, and found, in nearly every instance, that there was nothing but the pale and shadowful memories of days long gone by. No wonder they looked sorrowful and went to their homes without voting.

Now, let THE REVIEW ask the various democratic committees that such thing shall not occur again. The rank and file of our party, the great bulk of it, always expects at least a chance to vote for a complete ticket of democrats. Along with this crowd of loyal fellows go other true men who are willing to become candidates. We have the voters and we have the material for candidates: then why should we not have a ticket?

It would be hard for anyone to answer this question in a way that would justify our present policy. You can hear plenty men say, "We are a minority in Decatur township, and so we should lie low after the fashion of still hunters." Gentlemen, this means that we will be satisfied with the crumbs that fall from some big man's table. The democratic party in this township is not satisfied with anything of the kind. It is possible that there are a few men who are crumb hunters, but it is not possible of any fair-sized contingent of the democratic party. The man who would nibble with the rats while there is a feast in sight for which he has the right to fight, will, a special Providence not interfering, die in a hole.

But we take it that the reason for our apathy is not to be found in a partiality to still hunting: the kind in which you are not allowed to fire a gun or speak above a whisper. That is the mode of attack when you go fishing for suckers; it may do on water, but it is as well to remember that politics is a little scuffle that takes place on land. In these land engagements, noise counts for a great deal, a very strong illustration of which is afforded in the case of ancient Jericho. The Chosen People might have assaulted that citadel with still-hunt whispers until doomsday without so much as stopping the town clock. But they preferred to let loose all the noise there was in them, and Jericho, full of acute and blue-stockinged sensitiveness, was forced to retire to the woods where the winds whisper soothingly with their million tongues of rustling leaves. Now give our boys a chance to yell in all the uncertain and unclassified tones of the human voice, and we give you scriptural assurance that there will be another hegira to the woods by the tender plants who vote when it doesn't rain.

But some fellow will ask, "what is the use in making a fight when the chances are against you?" Why, just for the purpose of getting the chances on our side. It is one of these fights in which we have everything to win and nothing to lose, for we will not regard it a loss to jeopardize a a crumb. There are any number of instances in the affairs of this country where brilliant victory was wrested from more desperate chances than ours. There was a time when Peoria was overrun with republicans, when there were enough of them to smite every democrat in the town on both cheeks at the same instant; and they did it. This performance put the Peoria democrat on his mettle; and it soon became a mighty cold day for the republican who was found at large, in search of office. The democrats carried the city until it became man[illegible] to obey an interregnum of mercy.

The reason we don't do something of the kind in Decatur and in this township is because we don't try. Here we have a city that is filled up with workingmen and that is getting a larger percentage of such people every day. Those folks are democrats in other cities, and is there any reason why they should not be so here? Let them understand that there is a fighting party organization that will protect them in a free expression of their opinion and then those men will come to us.

THE REVIEW is in favor of nominating a straight democratic ticket for the city election, and for all other elections that follow. We may be beaten in it, we probably will, but please produce the man who would call yesterday's performance a victory for our side of the house. THE REVIEW holds out no promise of democratic victory on a city ticket this year. But it may come next year, or the year after, or in a dozen years from now; the length of time depends upon the earnestness of our work. But there is victory in it, somewhere and sometime. It helps the party for the time when county election comes round. The country townships have made encouraging democratic gains, and it is because they were always reaching for the persimmon that grew at the top of the tree. There was a time when a democratic supervisor from the country was as scarce as angel's visits; now he is as plentiful as roses on a June day. The change was brought about by always taking a courageous stand. If we will do the same thing, we must win in time. It is to be hoped all will understand that in order to win we must have a ticket in the field. If we put in one about one-third of the time, we must expect the people to think we are only joking.

THE REP. will be pleased to note that The H.-D. is dishing up republican editorial, and at the same time trying to conceal the fact. Just take the issue of Tuesday morning and throw your eyes over its wealth of pat. med. ads and dearth of badly scattered and lost ideas. "At the top of the last column on the telegraph page you will find an appeal to the republican voters to come out and do their do. Why was this appeal taken out of the position in which it naturally belonged? Some think it was owing to cowardice, while others insist that it was attributable to idiocy. Opinion runs high and warm on this question, and we are inclined to think that while one side has proven its case the merits remain with the other.

AMONG the proprietors of the H.-D. we notice the names of James Millikin, Orlando Powers and John Ullrich. From what is generally known of those men, one wouldn't think that they would hide republican editorial among freight dispatches. But there are trinities in which there is not the blessing of unity.

THE candidate who had no opposition yesterday might have been known by observing that he smoked a cigar on his own hook. The fellow who had opposition took great delight in furnishing "tufers" to the fortunate independent.

HELP THE POOR.

Give What You Can Spare for the Metropolis Sufferers.

The mass meeting called by Mayor Kanan to take some steps towards relieving the Metropolis sufferers from the cyclone last week, resulted in a failure. A REVIEWER entered the court room shortly after 8 o'clock and found Mayor Kanan, Dr. Bumstead, J. R. Gorin, Janitor Carter and a Herald reporter. Later a Republican reporter and Assistant Janitor Carter put in an appearance, but no one else came and finally Mayor Kanan appointed the following gentlemen a committee to take the matter in charge, do the best they can in the way of soliciting cash subscriptions and forwarding to Metropolis: J. R. Gorin, W. R. Scruggs, L. Burrows and Dr. Bumstead.

Perhaps interest in the result of the election may have caused lack of interest in the mass meeting, but it is a shame just the same that the cries of want and suffering should receive such little attention from the people generally. The bad record of last night can be obliterated by giving cheerfully what you can to the gentlemen who will make the solicitations. The Metropolis people need your help now, therefore give now. If you can't give much, give what little you can spare, and remember that He has said "the greatest of these is charity.

Some One Borrowed the Horse.

A countryman hitched his horse to a post on West Main street Monday evening and proceeded to do some trading around town. When he was ready to go home, he found the post, but the horse was gone. He notified the police, but the hunt resulted in failure until yesterday morning a short while before daylight, when Officer Miller found the animal hitched to a post in front of Young, Maris & Co.'s store on North Water street, and showing evidences of having been exercised considerably. He took the horse to a livery stable, and yesterday returned it to its owner. It is supposed some one took the horse merely for the purpose of having a ride and that when he tired of the amusement, left the animal where it was found. Such pranks should be punished just the same, whether perpetrated for fun or not.

Nuptial Knots.

Herman Love and Miss Birdie Miller, both of Decatur, were married last Monday at Mound City, Ill., where the bride has been teaching school. Herman left here to visit friends he said, and it appears he concluded to make the visit permanent by marrying the friend he went to see. Neither his people nor his wife's knew anything of the intended match until after the marriage was consummated.

Married, March 31st at the residence of the bride's parents on east Decatur street, James Harvell and Miss Maggie Love, by Rev. C. H. Sheen. The young couple will go to housekeeping at once on a farm near the city.

Would Kick if He Were to be Hanged.

Sheriff Henry Henson of Clinton took Albert Hess, Charles Gilmore and James Waldron to Joliet yesterday. Waldron's wife has been at the jail during the whole day, showing particular affection for her unfortunate spouse. Waldron is downcast, and seems to chafe under the long sentence of sixteen years. He thinks it quite severe and unjust. His attorneys have not determined on any tactics.

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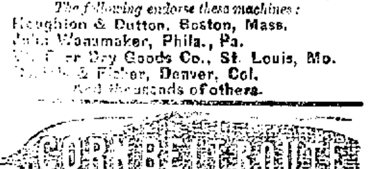

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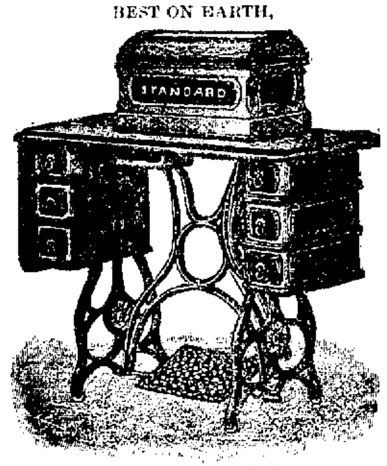

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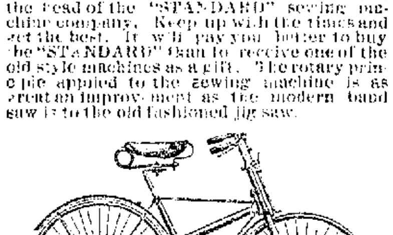

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No. 6	6:35 a m	No. 5	2:45 p m
TO ST. LOUIS.		FROM ST. LOUIS.	
No. 9	6:30 a m	No. 10	[illegible] p m
No. 3	5:45 a m	No. 4	[illegible] a m
No. 43	4:05 a m	No. 44	[illegible] a m
No. 45	2:50 p m	No. 42	[illegible] p m
No. 5	[illegible] p m	No. [illegible]	[illegible] p m
No. 71 frt	5:15 a m	No. 70 frt	5:50 p m
TO TOLEDO		FROM TOLEDO	
No. 45	6:25 a m	No. [illegible]	3:50 a m
No. 44	11:15 a m	No. 45	[illegible] p m
No. 42	10:22 p m	No. [illegible]	[illegible] p m
No. 48 Eklng	3:15 p m	No. [illegible]	[illegible] a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.		FROM QUINCY, ETC.	
No 43	4:31 a m	No [illegible]	[illegible] p m
No 45	3:10 p m	No [illegible]	[illegible]
No 1	9:07 p m	No [illegible]	[illegible]
No 47 Bluffs	6:58 a m	No [illegible]	[illegible]
No 71 Frt	12:30 p m	No [illegible]	[illegible]

Ind. Decatur & W.

ARRIVE.			
No 1	3:59 p m	No [illegible]	[illegible] a m
No 3	2:32 a m	No 4	[illegible] p m
Acc Tuscola	10:27 a m.	Acc [illegible]	[illegible] p m.

Terre Haute & Peoria

EAST.		WEST	
No 2	[illegible] p m	No 1	[illegible]
No 4	[illegible] a m	No 3 arr	[illegible]
No 6	[illegible] p m	No 7 frt arr	[illegible] p m
No 8 frt arr	[illegible]	No 9 frt	[illegible]
No 10 Frt	[illegible] a m	No [illegible]	[illegible] a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2 pass	[illegible] a m	No 1 pass	[illegible]
No 4 pass	9:45 p m	No 3 pass	[illegible]
No 12 accn	2:25 p m	No 11	[illegible]
No 10 freight	3:55 p m		
No 3 Champ'n line	[illegible]		[illegible] a m
No 4 " "	[illegible]		[illegible] p m

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2	3:00 p m	No [illegible]	[illegible] a m
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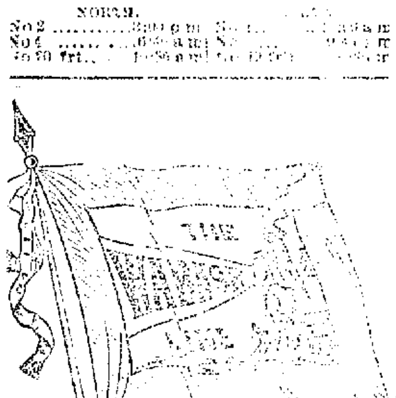

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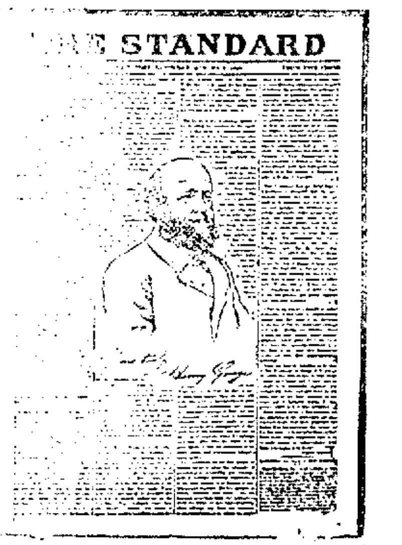

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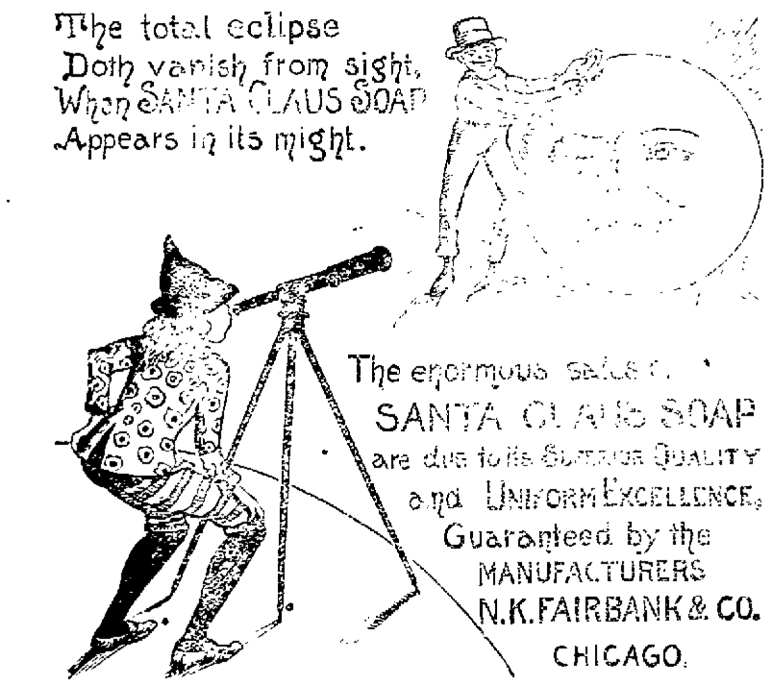

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The "Milkmaids Convention," in costume, will be given by the ladies of the Y. W. C. T. U. in the W. C. T. U. rooms, library block, on Friday evening, April 4. The Business College have kindly given their night school room in which, after the convention, will be served ice cream, cake, sandwiches, coffee and eggs. The Opera House Orchestra will furnish music the entire evening. There will also be a table of fancy work and candies.

We guarantee our Rice Coil Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding in the world. If after six weeks trial the Rice Coil Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

"BICYCLE HEADQUARTERS," at No. 110 and 114 William street, in Library Block is well worthy of what its name implies. Call and see the great variety carried in stock. We have everything in the line; wheels of all grades and prices. Remember that we also have the best sewing machine on earth. The only revolving shuttle sewing machine sold.

Greatly reduced rates via the Wabash to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Council Bluffs, Omaha and all points west. Remember the Wabash is the only line running solid trains to Missouri river points. Rates always as low as via any other line. Call on or address

F. W. GREENE,
Pass. Tkt. Agt. Wabash R. R., Union Depot, Decatur.

While you are in the Standard sewing machine office don't allow the bicycle riding of the ladies, gents, boys and girls to occupy your entire time. See and know for yourself the many points of superiority the Standard sewing machine has over all others. Give the Merritt typewriter some notice, and remember we have the best of sewing machine and bicycle oil, also sewing machine needles. You can have various excuses for calling. No charge for admission. No. 110 and 114 library block.

The new organization of the undersigned teachers will be known as the Decatur College of Music. The course of study used by the late Musical college will be continued and it is our purpose to give pupils' and graduates' recitals. Thanking the public for past patronage we would respectfully ask for a continuance of the same.

EFFIE H. BROWN,
ANNA W. BERRY,
FLORENCE L. ADAMS,
NORA A. RADCLIFF,
ALDEN P. E. FLYNN.

Notice.

This is to certify that I have purchased the property and good will of the Decatur Produce Company of Decatur, Ill., and will established a permanent shipping house at Decatur. All persons having poultry or eggs to sell, will do well to ask for prices. E. B. Mason will take charge of the house for me at present, Respectfully,

J. F. DEARBORN.

Teachers' Bibles.

Every young convert, as well as many of the older ones, should provide themselves with a good teacher's bible, but the great objection has always been the price; but we can now suit everybody and at much lower prices than ever before offered. Any one in want of a good bible should not fail to examine our stock. SAXTON & ANDREWS,
Next door to postoffice.

Spring School.

Those who are expecting to pursue either a business or a short hand and type writing course at Brown's Decatur Business college, will find the present a favorable time to enroll. Classes for the spring and summer months are being organized. For full particulars as to branches taught, tuition, rates, etc., call at the college office, Library block, corner Main and William streets, or address the president,

G. W. BROWN.

Decatur Steam Laundry

Will be ready for business on Monday, April 7. Office at 147 South Water. This laundry has been equipped with the latest improved machinery, and will be able to turn out the finest work at shortest notice. Goods called for and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone 448.

INMAN & CANNON,
Proprietors.

At Brown's College.

New classes are being formed for the spring and summer months in the business, short hand and type writing courses. The present would be a good time to enroll. Call at the college for full particulars as to courses of study, rates of tuition, etc., or address the president. G. W. BROWN.

French and German.

M'lle Rogers, professor of French and German, of Bloomington, will be in Decatur on the 10th of April to explain the natural method of obtaining a thorough knowledge of both languages.

Laundry and Mending.

Our laundry work is as near perfect as it can be made. Bachelors will find buttons sewed on, and we do any little mending free of charge. FRED NORMAN,
One door east of postoffice.

New Tailoring Establishment.

George Ross, the practical tailor, will commence business at 625 East Eldorado street, on April 2d. By strict attention to business he hopes to merit a share of public patronage.

Easter Sunday Comes April 6,

and Easter cards and novelties are much handsomer and cheaper than ever. For a choice selection, be sure and call at the Postoffice Book Store.

SAXTON & ANDREWS.

Sunday School Teachers

can find a choice line of Easter cards, eggs and novelties, and special prices made on large quantities, at Saxton & Andrews, next door to the Postoffice.

A New Lime House.

V. H. Parke & Sons carry lime, hair, cement, plaster paris, land plaster, fire brick, fire clay, etc., wholesale and retail. Prices will always be low and quality of goods the best. Telephone 55. 621 North Main street.

Artificial Stone

for sidewalks, basement floors, building stone, etc. Estimates furnished by E. L. Martin, 628 North Main street. Telephone 433.

Hard Coal.

I have a full supply of the best grades of hard coal. Prices and quality guaranteed. Principal office, 628 North Main street.

E. L. MARTIN.

Easter Eggs.

Every child wants an Easter egg, and we have prepared to supply the county this year. SAXTON & ANDREWS,
Next door to Postoffice.

Just received a large consignment of fresh garden and field seed, which we will wholesale and retail.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

THE TOWN MEETING.

The Electors Assemble and Have The Annual Pow Wow.

The annual town meeting was held yesterday morning at the tabernacle. About 200 voters of Decatur township were present. The proceedings were devoid of anything of especial interest. The town clerk, John R. Williams, called the meeting to order. I. R. Mosser and D. L. Hughes were nominated for chairman, but the latter declined and the former was elected by acclamation. J. R. Mills was chosen moderator, and J. C. Hostetler, clerk. Mr. Hostetler was not present, so Charles M. Durfee was elected clerk instead. These assistant moderators and clerks were selected to act in the different voting precincts:

First district—Louis Lyon, assistant moderator; Ed May, clerk.

Second district—William Ptomey, assistant moderator; E. C. Leighton, clerk.

Third district—J. Q. A. Odor, assistant moderator; W. A. Holman, clerk.

Fourth district—W. J. Usrey, assistant moderator; Charles Warfield, clerk.

Fifth district—W. B. Newell, assistant moderator; R. F. Jones, clerk.

Sixth district—A. C. Stevens, assistant moderator; James L. Peake, clerk.

Seventh district—I. R. Mills, moderator; Charles M. Durfee, clerk.

Eighth district—Rudolph Thomas, assistant moderator; Charles Harpstrite, clerk.

Ninth district—Worth Bradley, assistant moderator; Charles Peake, clerk.

Tenth district—J. M. Poor, assistant moderator; L. H. Martin, clerk.

Eleventh district—D. C. Shockley, assistant moderator; H. I. Baldwin, clerk.

Before the important business of the day began, the election of officers, the report of Supervisor James Freeman for the past year was read. It was an interesting compilation of figures, and was listened to with great attention and profit by the electors assembled.

Give Them a Thorough Trial.

Hon. E. A. Moore, Member of Assembly, Richmond County, N. Y., writes:

"ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, ALBANY, N. Y. } April, 11, 1887. }

I have two afflictions which sometimes make life a burden. One is dyspepsia, the other is rheumatism. I heard that Brandreth's Pills, taken one or two at night on an empty stomach, would cure rheumatic pains. I give them a thorough trial for three weeks, taking one or two every night. To my delight, not only was I cured of rheumatism, but dyspepsia, costiveness and biliousness. They did not interfere with my diet or business, and I really think them an incomparable blood purifier and cathartic."

Brandreth's Pills purify the Blood, stimulate the Liver, strengthen the Kidneys, regulate the Bowels. They were introduced in the United States in 1835, and have steadily increased in popular favor.

This, together with convincing testimonials from all parts of the world, is positive evidence of their value.

Brandreth's Pills are purely vegetable, absolutely harmless, and safe to take at any time.

Sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.

Filed Again.

Articles of incorporation of the Herald-Dispatch company have been filed in the office of Circuit Clerk McClellan. The capital stock is $22,800. Te stockholders are James Milliken, Orlando Powers, John Ullrich, W. F. Calhoun, V. N. Hostetler, W. J. Hostetler, C. N. Wagenseller and George R. Wagenseller. The business of the company is to publish the Morning Herald-Despatch and the Weekly Herald-Despatch, and to do a general job printing business. At a preliminary meeting of stockholders directors were elected. They are James Millikin, W. F. Calhoun, V. N. Hostetler, W. J. Hostetler and G. R. Wagenseller.

ANOTHER BIG SALE.

Mr. D. M. Sacks, the North Water street installment man, sold his whole stock to the Big Chicago Cheap store, consisting of upwards of $5,000 worth of baby buggies, rugs, carpets, lace curtains, clocks, albums, lamps, jewelry and silverware.

Saturday, special opening. Prices cut down one-half. Look at this:

$5.50 rugs go for	$2 75
$6.50 " " "	3 75
$9.00 " " "	5 50
$8.00 Ruby shade lamps go for	3 99
$5.00 casters go for	2 49
$20.00 baby cabs go for	9 99

Choose early.

BIG CHICAGO CHEAP STORE,
South side park.

A Concert at Topeka.

The item below is from a Topeka, Kan., paper, and it is about the daughter of John B. Ricks, of Taylorville. She is well known in Decatur:

"The concert Trymenial given by 20 pupils of The Great Western Conservatory was the finest musical treat ever afforded the people. Among the most noted was the new songstress, Miss Ritta Ricks, of Illinois. She sang Fesca's "Think of Me" as only an artist as she is could have done. She could have filled a hall 10 times as large, with her melodious and powerful voice. Her dramatic power was very catching and added everything to her song.

Disturbance of The Heart.

Heart disease is like an assassin, which creeps upon you in the dark, and strikes you when unaware. Therefore, do no overlook any uneasiness in the region of the heart or disturbance in its action, but at once take Dr. Flint's Remedy. Descriptive treatise with each bottle; or address Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

Tickling The Palate.

The only trouble with Hamburg Figs is that they are so pleasant to the palate that children are apt to eat them when not absolutely necessary, if they can get hold of them surreptitiously. They will injure no one, but medicine should not be taken unless needed. 25 cents. Dose, one Fig. Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

Big Opening.

Chicago Cheap store has opened a 3c department; 3,000 articles, all at 3 cents. Gold band dishes and Alfred Meaken china being received. Big Chicago Cheap store, South Side Park.

Largest Stock and Plain Figures.

All goods marked in plain figures at Muleady & Son's. Perfect fits guaranteed Largest stock in the city.

Grand Ball.

A grand ball given at Guards' armory Easter Monday, April 7. Music by Johnson Bros. orchestra. All cordially invited. Admission $1.

House Cleaning.

Have you selected wall paper and curtains for spring? Abels' Carpet House leads them all in style, quality and price.

THE CHARITABLE UNION.

Close of the First Winter of Active and Successful Work.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Industrial and Charitable Union was held yesterday morning at the Woman's Club room in the Gallagher building. The president, Mrs. H. C. Johns, and the secretary, Miss Burrows, were present. Mrs. Johns read her report, which shows clearly the present state of the union's affairs.

The hard work of the winter has been crowned with success in many directions, but the approach of spring makes necessary important changes in methods of work. So much attention need not be given during the summer to relief work. Some will still be necessary, but it can all be done voluntarily by members of the relief branch of the union. Though the secretary, Mrs. Bradley, has been most faithful, and has done a large amount of work, the needs of the union will not justify her employment longer. The officers feel that she has taken an important part in the bringing of what success has attended the union's efforts, and they part with her only with regret. When the winter's work opens again they hope it will be possible for them to get her services again. It will be necessary, if the existence and usefulness of the union are to be continued, to collect all dues and subscriptions immediately and some steps must be taken to secure funds for the payment of office and exchange rent for the next six months. The relief society fund, pledged to the sick, poor and the Industrial home fund have not and will not be drawn upon for expenses.

The Woman's Exchange is growing so fast, both in usefulness and public favor that a determined effort must be made to keep it alive. It has been decided by the council to turn over the remnant of the depleted stock of second-hand clothing to the Woman's Industrial club and the Industrial schools. Winter clothing will be packed and carefully stored for next winter. The Industrial club will make over, mend and cut into carpet rags all articles that require such work, and every woman will receive pay for her work in some needed article of clothing.

The report of the treasurer showed a balance of $4 in the treasury, exclusive of the fund for relief work. About $49 are due on subscriptions, and several members have not yet paid their dues.

After discussion it was resolved to keep the paid secretary at the office in Haworth's block only until May 1. A regular day once a week will be set apart for hearing applications for relief. A resolution of thanks to Mrs. Bradley for her efficient services, and of regret that she could not be retained, was passed.

An agent to attend to the business of the Woman's Exchange, will be the only paid actuary of the union during the summer. Mrs. Baker, president of the exchange, stated this agent could be employed for $15 a month, and her salary paid out of commissions on sales. The officers of the exchange were authorized to employ such an agent. The rent will be the only expense, and some arrangement must be made to pay that. The room now in use has been partly used by the furniture firm, but they are going to move out, and some one else must be secured to occupy a part of it with the exchange.

A resolution was passed allowing new members to pay only part of the annual dues for the remaining months of the year, thus reducing the membership fee from $1 to 50 cents for the rest of the year. There are now only 60 members of the union, where there should be 500.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice during the week ending April 1, 1890:

Augustine, Maggie
Bishop, R M
Crawford, Geo
Curry, D Q
Elmore, C G
Emerson, R H
Flaharty, Maurice
Garbey, Michael (2)
Gardner, D H
Humphrey, C A
Lowry, Elsie
McDowell, G. R.
Mickum, D L
Rickey, Harvey
Ross, A S
Russell, H A
Snyder, David (2)
Watson, Geo P
Weeks, M
Wolfe, Alla

S. S. JACK, P. M.

The Baptist Church.

The parson and the board of deacons of the Baptist church will be in the class room of the church to-night at 7 o'clock to meet any who may wish to unite with the church. Quite a number will join to-night and will be baptized on Easter. The regular meeting begins this evening at 7:30. Everybody is invited.

Dust to Dust.

Robert Green, a barber who has been sick a long time with consumption, died yesterday morning at the family residence, 342 South Main street, aged 36 years and 23 days. He leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Another April Fool.

Hugh Martin, formerly a bar tender, met with a very painful accident this morning, by trying to jump on a moving train. He slipped and fell, both legs being crushed by the wheels.—Bulletin.

Chance for Women in China.

Dr. King, an American lady, occupies the position of physician in ordinary to Count Li, one of the most distinguished statesmen in China. She also possesses a valuable practice in Shanghai, where some of her surgical operations have excited the admiration of her medical brethren. It appears that there is a wide field of employment open to women doctors in the Chinese empire.—Exchange.

Cancer of the Nose.

In 1875 a sore appeared on my nose, and grew rapidly. As my father had cancer, and my husband died of it, I became alarmed, and consulted my physician. His treatment did no good, and the sore grew larger and worse in every way, until I had concluded that I was to die from its effects. I was persuaded to take S. S. S., and a few bottles cured me. This was after all the doctors and other medicines had failed. I have had no return of the cancer.

MRS. M. T. MABEN.
Woodbury, Hall County, Texas.

Treatise on Cancer mailed free.
SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

Decatur Nursery Company,

Nurseries located just north of the new park. We are putting in a first-class stock of trees and shrubs, etc., but this spring in order to get acquainted with the people we are handling choice northern stock and will guarantee every thing we sell. All trees that die replaced free of charge. Come and see our exhibit on North Water street near first M. E. church. We are sure to please you, and our prices are most reasonable.

THE LATEST IMPORTATIONS

OF

ELEGANT DRESS GOODS, LADIES' JACKETS, BEADED CAPES, Etc.

PRICES THE LOWEST

ALSO

A NEW SUPPLY OF

CARPETS,

CURTAINS, WALL PAPER, ETC.

Linn & Scruggs

AGENTS BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

WE ARE THE PEOPLE

Who save you money, and a glance at the prices below will convince you of it. The way our delivery wagons have been rushed the last few months show that the public is finding it out. Come in and see us. We always have bargains and job lots that give you a benefit. We began making low prices, the people appreciated our efforts, and are satisfied. So are we. Here is a

NEW BILL OF FARE.

SUGARS.	
Granulated Sugar, 13 lbs for	$1 00
A Sugar, 13¾ lbs for	1 00
15 lbs white extra C Sugar	1 00
15½ lbs C Sugar	1 00
Good Syrups, per gallon	40
COFFEE PACKAGES.	
XXXX	25c
Arbuckles	25c
Lion	25c
Queen B	25c
Bonola	25c
Good Coffee in Bulk	23c
Best Bulk Coffee in town	25c
We defy competition on this brand.	
TEAS.	
Japan	15c to 50c
Imperial (best)	50c
Y. H.	35c to 50c
Japan Tea in 1 lb cans	40c
HAMS.	
Kingham hams, per lb	12½c
California hams, per lb	7½c
Breakfast Beacon	12½c
Heavy Beacon	10c
Best lard, per lb	10c
Chipped dried beef	20c
Best coal oil per gallon	15c
Best vinager per gallon	20c

FLOUR.	
Best roller process Flour, per sack 50 pounds	$1 05
SOAPS.	
8 bars Logan & Beik's	25c
7 bars Lautz Bros'	25c
6 Lenox soap	25c
6 bars National	25c
12 bars Palm Leaf	25c
TOBACCO.	
Star tobacco	45c
Climax tobacco	45c
Big 4 tobacco	30c
Horse Shoe tobacco, per pound	45c
Job lot of fine cut to close out	25c
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Fancy raisins, new	10c
New French prunes	8⅓c
Sardines, 7c, or 4 for	25c
Canned peaches in syrup	20c
Canned black berries	8⅓c
Sibley corn, 7c, 4 for	25c
Baking powder in pound cans	15c
Baking powder in bulk	15c
Mackerel in pound cans	10c
Baking powder, bulk 15c a lb, 2 for	25c
Lemons, per doz	25c

THESE PRICES ARE FOR SPOT CASH.

Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

LOGAN & BEIK.

150 MERCHANT ST TELEPHONE 120.

OUR ADVERTISEMENTS ARE

BRIEF BUT CONVINCING

Such stock as we carry need

NO BLOW AND BLUSTER

NO FUSS AND FEATHERS

To back them up. Now on sale is a general line of Spring Clothing, but we would direct your attention especially to

OUR NEW ARRIVALS

Of boys' and children's suits of both foreign and domestic material. Exclusive sales, that is to say controlled by ourselves, the products of the most extensive manufacturers in the world in boys' wear They're

NOVELTIES RADICALLY DIFFERENT

From anything we've ever before shown, and you all know us to be the undisputable leaders in boys' Clothing.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT, WE GUARANTEE THEM.

THE B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

(Successor to B. STINE, BOSS CLOTHIER.)

WORSE THAN FIRE!

Big Reduction Sale Now in Progress at

JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT,

POSTOFFICE BLOCK.

INVOICED VALUE

$20,000.00.

No damaged goods in Stock. Firstclass tailor made clothing. Best American made and imported underwear and hosiery, Stetson's hats, Wilson Bros. fine dress shirts, elegant neckwear, Coon and E. & W. collars. Continued ill health compels me to sell out. The slaughter has commenced and will continue to the end. The good will and stock would be sold in bulk at a bargain.

JOHN IRWIN, MGR.

WHITE FRONT.

The I. D. & W. Ry.

Indianapolis, Decatur & Western.

2 Passenger Trains Daily 2

No. 2 N. Y. Mail and Ex. except Sun 11:20 a. m

No. 4 Cincinnati Express, Daily.....10:30 p. m

The only short direct route without change of cars to Indianapolis and Cincinnati.

Only one change of cars to Louisville, Cleveland, Buffalo, Columbus, Pittsburg, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and Boston.

Reclining chair car through to Cincinnati on night train via C., H. & D., Railway.

For further information call on or address.

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J S LAZARUS, Gen'l Pass. Agt

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Celebrated Milwaukee, Taylor and Export Beer.

R. F. KINCAID

Wholesale Dealer and Bottler,

903 EAST ELDORADO

DECATUR, ILL.

Here is a Squeezer!

Just Arrived.

3 CAR LOADS OF

BEDS, CHAIRS,

TABLES and

SPRINGS.

To be closed out Immediately as we have no room for them. will sell best hardwood solid bottom wood seat chairs $2.50 a set; all woven wire bed springs $1.75; hardwood beds $2; No. 8 copper bottom boilers $1. We have the Superior cook stoves with the fire back warranted for 5 years for coal. Thousands of them in use.

We are offering big inducements to parties going to housekeeping.

Do not be misled but come to our place and buy your outfit and save money.

Bachman Bros.,

3 STORES IN ONE

E. Main St. Sign of Big Elephant.

A VALUABLE SECRET

I have a few SPECIAL BARGAINS in vacant lots to offer this week, the prices being below their worth and at terms that all can meet. They include two blocks of five, one of four, and one of three. Also a few single lots. I have besides twenty lots lying together that will be offered for a few weeks at a low figure.

In other city property and in improved farms my list has never been quite so satisfactory as at the present time. Please let me show you what I have to offer.

C. W. MONTGOMERY.

Over Millikin's Bank Building.

MORNING REVIEW

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1890.

YOURSELF AND OTHERS.

Creighton Webb is sick.

Elmer Towl left yesterday for Bloomington.

Edwin A. Ewing left last night for Chicago.

Frank Danner and family left yesterday for Quincy.

H. W. Waggoner went to Cerro Gordo yesterday on business.

Miss Ella Shehan, of Pana, is visiting friends in this city.

Col. D. H. Conklin left for the east yesterday on a business trip.

Mrs. B. I. Sterrett, who has been very sick, is recovering slowly.

Attorney-General Hunt passed through to his home in Paris yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Bachman returned last night from a visit at Chicago.

A. Barney, the noted temperance lecturer of Newark, N. J., is in the city.

Mrs. Edwin Philbrook is entertaining Mrs. George Crocker, of Chicago.

C. C. Leforgee returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Mrs. D. N. Moore leaves for Chicago today to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. Moore Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Bargoon and son Charles returned yesterday from a visit to St. Louis.

E. T. Coleman, for some time a teacher at Forsyth, will leave this morning for Pittsburg, Pa.

John S. White, special agent of the Franklin Life Insurance company, is over from Springfield.

W. H. Bramble returned last night from Washington. He didn't seem to have the postoffice with him.

Mrs. Charles Clark, who has been visiting in New York for several months, returned home yesterday.

Ed Gates has accepted a position in the fire department and has been assigned to the Main street hose house.

H. J. Kulker, of Buffalo, N. Y., is in the city, and it is said that a fair Decatur maid is the magnet that draws him this way so frequently.

Will Lewis and wife, who have been the guests for some time of G. D. Randolph and family, left yesterday for their home at Lincoln, Neb.

Rev. S. F. Gibb was around town today for the first time since his unfortunate accident. His many friends were glad to see him out again.

Mrs. B. B. Bacon of Lakin, Kansas, arrived in the city yesterday and will remain some time visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. 560 West Wood street.

Rev. W. H. Trueblood, Mrs. Matilda Robbins and Misses Jennie Gardner and Ida Wells, left yesterday for Gibson City to attend a missionary society meeting.

Mrs. C. M. Lytle went to Mattoon yesterday and will meet her daughter, Miss Hortense, who has been visiting friends in Evansville, and who will return home with her mother.

Mrs. W. C. Miller and Mrs. J. H. Bevans will leave this morning for Jacksonville to attend a two days' session of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Illinois, of the Congregational church.

Donald Young and family who have resided in this city for five years and who have gained the respect and friendship of all they have met, will depart to-night for Glasgow, Scotland, where they will reside permanently. Donald Young is a good man and Decatur loses an industrious, law abiding resident in his removal. The best wishes of numerous friends will follow the family to their new home across the great waters.

Taking Depositions.

P. A. Collier, an Indiana states attorney and John P Allen, attorney for defendant, of Greencastle, Ind., were in the city yesterday, securing the deposition of Master of Transportation Lyle, of T. H. & P., in the case of the state of Indiana vs. Albert Bowen, for murder. Following is the story of the crime as published by an exchange:

"Two men were arrested on the 27th of last August in the Vandalia yards at Brazil, Ind., for some minor offense, but were released the following day. When they were dismissed from custody Bowen had $1.00 in money and a silver hunting case watch on his person and Kibler had $14 in money and an open-face silver watch. The two started for Bowen's father's farm a place several miles from Brazil, and two persons answering the description of these two characters were seen last on the evening of August 29, on the National road, a thoroughfare which goes past the Bowen farm. On the afternoon of Tuesday, Sept. 3, a farm hand employed on the Bowen farm by the name of Henry Runyan, while plowing in the field discovered the charred remains of a human being in a brush heap near by. The features were burnt beyond recognition. In the brush-heap they found a knife, suspender buckles and other articles known to have been in the possession of Kibler at the time of his release from the jail at Brazil on the evening of August 28. Suspicion at once fell upon Bowen as the perpetrator of of the dastardly crime, and he was arrested at Kansas Station, Ind., on October 15, and is now in jail at Greencastle, Ind., awaiting his trial, which is set for the 28th of April.

Letter Carriers Report.

Registered letters delivered	175
Letters delivered	777 04
Postal cards delivered	150 12
Second, third, and fourth-clas matter delivered	486 58
Local letters collected	26 56
Mail letters collected	415 61
Local postal cards collected	12 35
Mail postal cards collected	81 16
Second, third and fourth-class matter collected	61 98
Total number of pieces handled	2013 20

Sunday School Teachers

can find a choice line of Easter cards, eggs and novelties, and special prices made on large quantities, at Saxton & Andrews, next door to the Postoffice.

ELECTION RETURNS.

JOE HEWES WINS A HANDSOME VICTORY.

The Day a Quiet One, With a Full Vote—Returns by Districts and Totals—Returns From Several Outside Towns.

The election yesterday was a very quiet one, and apparently not a great deal of work was done. The result showed a comparatively full vote. Joe Hewes' re-election by a largely increased majority is very flattering to him, and the source of a great deal of satisfaction to his friends, who have done some quiet and effective work.

The result will be found in the paragraphs below:

SUMMARY.

		Plur.
Supervisor:		
H. F. May	1,713	1,071
John Lindsay	642	
Assistant Supervisors:		
R. A. Newall	2,003	
C. Ammann	2,048	
James Freeman	2,055	
G. F. Bell	2,047	
I. R. Rogan	1,804	
Thomas Quinn	1,929	
Town Clerk:		
John R. Williams	1,546	857
C. E. Osborne	689	
Assessor:		
S. T. Keeler	1,331	688
C. T. Kincaid	643	
F. J. Smith	472	
Collector:		
J. S. Hewes	1,315	156
Z. W. Harris	1,159	
Commissioner of Highways:		
Daniel Whitsel	1,208	64
Ed Knight	1,144	
Poundmaster:		
Green Martin	1,108	480
George Syford	628	
Robert Blue	392	

FIRST DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 83; Lindsay, 74.

Assistant Supervisor—Newell, 121; Amman, 123; Freeman, 171; Bell, 181; Rogan, 121; Quinn, 114.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 86; Williams, 76.

Assessor—Kincaid, 114; Smith, 19; Keeler, 42.

Collector—Hewes, 136; Harris, 41.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 22; Knight, 151.

Poundmaster—Martin, 59; Syford, 92; Blue, 43.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May 68, Lindsay, 51.

Assistant Supervisor—Newell, 94; Amman, 92; Freeman, 92; Bell, 89; Rogan, 81; Quinn, 103.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 58; Williams, 60.

Assessor—Kincaid, 38; Smith, 38; Keeler, 58.

Collector—Hewes, 94; Harris, 38.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 55; Knight, 76.

Poundmaster—Martin, 45; Syford, 59; Blue, 22.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 215; Lindsay, 61.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 260; Amman, 264; Freeman, 266; Bell, 256; Rogan, 229; Quinn, 238.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 64; Williams, 225

Assessor—Kincaid, 54; Smith, 122; Keeler, 151.

Collector—Hewes, 142; Harris, 155.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 133; Knight, 162.

Poundmaster—Martin, 154; Syford, 55; Blue, 70.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 176; Lindsay, 46.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 207; Amman, 215; Freeman, 208; Bell, 200; Rogan, 189; Quinn, 187.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 47; Williams, 182.

Assessor—Kincaid, 30; Smith, 72; Keeler, 135.

Collector—Hughes, 86; Harris, 150.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 137; Knight, 88.

Poundmaster—Martin, 105; Syford, 37; Blue, 33.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 162; Lindsay, 32.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 180; Ammann, 185; Freeman, 176; Bell, 176; Rogan, 156; Quinn, 174.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 49; Williams, 131.

Assessor—Kincaid, 26; Smith, 24; Keeler, 145.

Collector—Hewes, 87; Harris, 111.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 130; Knight, 54.

Poundmaster—Martin, 118; Syford, 37; Blue, 24.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 229; Lindsay, 43.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 162; Ammann, 166; Freeman, 163; Bell, 166, Rogan, 153; Quinn, 158.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 64; Williams, 129.

Assessor—Kincaid, 48; Smith, 41; Keeler, 169.

Collector—Hewes, 159; Harris, 129.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 135; Knight, 107.

Poundmaster—Martin, 52; Syford, 44; Blue, 35.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 263; Lindsay, 41.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 273; Ammann, 280; Freeman, 282; Bell, 274; Rogan, 263; Quinn, 265.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 63; Williams, 239.

Assessor—Kincaid, 63; Smith, 27; Keeler, 225.

Collector—Hewes, 130; Harris, 187.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 202; Knight, 99.

Poundmaster—Martin, 212; Syford, 44; Blue, 30.

Scattering, 8.

EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 124; Lindsay, 59.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 153; Ammann, 161; Freeman, 154; Bell, 153; Rogan, 131; Quinn, 144.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 49; Williams, 123.

Assessor—Kincaid, 51; Smith, 39; Keeler, 92.

Collector—Hewes, 110; Harris, 78.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 92; Knight, 84.

Poundmaster—Martin, 88; Syford, 56; Blue, 30.

NINTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 187; Lindsay, 109.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 265; Amman, 273; Freeman, 265; Bell, 273; Rogan, 240; Quinn, 282.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 103; Williams, 179.

Assessor—Kincaid, 98; Smith, 50; Keeler, 157.

Collector—Hewes, 176; Harris, 126.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 151; Knight, 149.

Poundmaster—Martin, 130; Syford, 92; Blue, 68.

TENTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 95; Lindsay, 118.

Assistant Supervisor—Newell, 178; Ammann, 175; Freeman, 170; Bell, 169; Rogan, 131; Quinn, 167.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 91; Williams, 102.

Assessor—Kincaid, 110; Smith, 95; Keeler, 84.

Collector—Hewes, 161; Harris, 69.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 60; Knight, 150.

Poundmaster—Martin, 71; Syford, 56; Blue, 31.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

Supervisor—May, 110; Lindsay, 14.

Assistant Supervisors—Newell, 110; Amman, 114; Freeman, 108; Bell, 110; Rogan, 110; Quinn, 107.

Town Clerk—Osborne, 15; Williams, 103.

Assessor—Kincaid, 11; Smith, 15; Keeler, 93.

Collector—Hewes, 40; Harris, 81.

Commissioner of Highways—Whitsel, 91; Knight, 29.

Poundmaster—Martin, 83, Syford, 16, Blue, 16.

Scattering 3.

OTHER COUNTRY TOWNS.

Niantic.

At Niantic the democrats elected nearly everybody. The result is as follows:

Supervisor—James Muldoon, D., 129; Henry Nottleman, R. 117. Clerk—George Wacker, D., 139; Ira F. Oaks, R., 104. Assessor—William Dingman, D., 120; Robt Moore, R., 120. Collector—Chas D. Jones, D., 133; Reuben Harris, R., 112. Commissioner—Butler Simpson, D., 133; Rufus Blake, R. 112. Justice of the Peace—William R. Kizer, D., 127; John Cassell, R., 109. Constable—George D. Kitch, R., 124; S. W. Grosh, D., 117.

Illini.

At Illini E. J. Roberts was returned to the county board. A vote was taken on a proposition to establish a high school at Warrensburg, but the voters decided against it. This was the vote:

Supervisor—E. J. Roberts, D., 148; C. S. Bullard, 94. Clerk—Sherman Neiman, D., 141; W. W. Kayle, R., 107. Assessor—J. J. Buckley, D., 124; J. H. Bermen, R., 120. Collector—A. J. Stahl, D., 118; E. E. Barton, R., 128. Commissioner—Martin Albert, D., 93; J. C Tucker, Ind., 66; Frank Batchelder, R., 87. School Trustee—J. P. Lehn, D., 113; J. B. Greene, R., 131.

For high school, 106; against high school, 127.

Harristown.

At Harristown a people's" ticket was run against the Democratic ticket. All on the people's ticket were Republicans, except Van Gilder for assessor, and he is a prohibitionist. The vote was as follows:

Supervisor—Lafe Whitney, D, 90; D. Stookey, P., 77, Clerk—Charles Masters, D., 98; M. D. Camp, P., 74. Assessor—A. J. Wheeler, D., 99; R. O. Van Gilder, P., 71. Collector—Frank Crum, D., 73; E. E. Peck, P., 90. Commissioner—James Moorehead, D., 75; E. W. Tandy, P., 91. Constable—H. C. Wheeler, D., 91; James Park, P., 84.

Mt. Zion.

Considerable interest was taken in the result at Mt. Zion, on account of the bitter fight that was made against Wash Smith, and other matters connected with it. Mr. Smith was reelected by a handsome majority. Everything went democratic. For Supervisor—W. S. Smith, D., 182, Charles Thomas, R., 126. Town Clerk—I. J. Travis, D., 156; S. D. Smith, R., 148. Assessor—W. S. Whitehouse, D., 161; A. M. Phillips, R., 138. Collector—W. B. Hunter, D., 181; S. S. Hopkins, R., 117. Commissioner—John A. Wilson, D., 163; George Mowery, R., 141.

Maroa

At Maroa the F. M. B. A. had a ticket in the field, with J. H. Parker, a banker, at the head. They seem to have taken the town.

Supervisor—J. H. Parker, 218; William Phares, 90; William Cooper, 71. Town Clerk—Charles Wykoff, 221; B. J. Trowbridge, 152. Assessor—J. P. Bean, 261; A. Wykoff, 78; Sol Cross, 40. Collector—Bruce Waller, 161; Bazel Cooper, 112; F. M. Smith, 109. Commissioner of Highways—Henry Barger, 265; W. H. Stoutenborough, 113.

Hickory Point.

The following is the vote in this township:

Supervisor—H. Hays, D., 99; S. S. Haines, R., 51. Assessor—Allen Bartlett, D., 103; A. J. Dillinger, R., 54. Collector—D. S. Weigle, D., 115; no opposition. Town Clerk—J. C. McMillen, D., 85; J. S. Keller, R., 71. Commissioner—A. T. Mettlen, D., 94; Volney Barber, R., 65. School Trustee—Lafayette Gulick, D. 96; J. D. Fetro, R., 62.

Wheatland

The election in Wheatland township was close and exciting. The successful candidates are here given with their majorities, the republicans electing their assessor and constables, while the prohibitionists elect their commissioner of highways: Supervisor—Miller, D., 9. Town Clerk—Ward, D., 6. Assessor—Reed, R., 13. Collector, Odor, D., 9. Commissioner of Highways—Wells, P., 1. Constable—Colp, R., 6.

Pleasant View.

Supervisor—J. W. H. McClure, D., 93; W. H. Bean, R., 101. Clerk—F. W. Mosher, D., 96; John Sprague, R., 188. Assessor—Levi Baughman, D., 130; John B. Beckett, R., 119. Collector—George W. Morris, D., 84; Ezra Crow, R., 168. Commissioner—John Rinard, D., 82; Theo. Goodale, R., 168. Justice of the Peace—William Montgomery, D., 104; W. W. Pidd, R., 124; W. H. Firey, D., 67; Ed Culver, R., 80. (Two to elect.)

Macon.

The fight at Macon was hotly contested, with a people's ticket in in the field against a republican ticket.

Supervisor—H. C. Montgomery, P., 197; C. A. Hight, R., 145. Collector—J. R. Hight, P., 139; O. H. Draper, R., 204. Assessor—Allen Rakestraw, P., 191; William Russell, R., 159. Commissioner—Henry C. Funk, P., 167; William Johnson, R. 177. Clerk—William Mosher, P., 184; Henry Flynn, R., 155. Justice of the Peace—James Conover, 116; James Cook, 74; F. M. Chamberlain, 134; M. Giblin, 148; A. Daggett, 136.

Cerro Gordo.

Considerable interest was manifested in the election. The crowd on the street, while enthusiastic, was very orderly. A large vote was polled, the list counting up to 483, being three more than last year. All of the republican ticket was elected but the supervisor. The vote stood:

For Supervisor—E. E. Edwards, D., 255; B. Middleton, R., 224. Clerk—E. A. Barnwell, R., 274; J. Marsch, D., 263. Assessor—B. F. Gunkle, R., 264; William Bingaman, D., 217. Collector—John Welty, R., 240; John Hoyt, D., 217. Highway Commissioner—Peter Gara, 261; William Simons, D., 211.

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THE FIRE FIEND.

Does Considerable Damage to Bullard's Undertaking Establishment.

About half past nine o'clock yesterday morning, a furious fire raged in the undertaking rooms of J. B. Bullard on North Main street, and for a while the flames threatened to destroy the Masonic Temple block. The entire fire department arrived on the scene in double quick, and by their active earnest work soon speedily, considering the start the fire had, had the flames under control, and extinguished. Considerable damage was done to the ceiling of the room; the plate glass was cracked and the paint and varnish was scorched, "curled" and destroyed. Mr. Bullard had 15 new caskets in wooden cases in the back room, and while the cases were considerably scorched the caskets were injured but slightly. Many articles belonging to the undertaking establishment were completely destroyed and the hardware goods also were greatly injured by the fire. The stock is insured for $1,500 with Leforgee & Sons, and the building, which is the property of K. H. Roby and George D. Haworth, is fully insured.

The fire it appears was started by the dropping of a lighted match near a bale of "excelsior" used in trimming coffins, and almost instantly the light inflammable matter caught fire and was speedily in ashes: the shelving above caught fire and made sudden and serious inroads. Mr. Bullard and his men fought the flames bravely, until smoke and heat drove them from the rear room in which the fire started.

The damage it is thought will not exceed $1,500 or $1,800.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

Roadmaster Daily is in Riverton.

M. J. Ryan, of Bement, was in the city yesterday.

T. H. & P. engine No. 1 is in the hospital for repairs.

Fred Doty, Illinois Central roadmaster at Amboy, is in the city.

Trainmaster Lyle of the T. H. & P., has returned from Fremont, O.

People going to and from their voting places made railroad travel good yesterday.

George E. Hines, traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central, is in the city.

Wabash engines 474 and 566 have been fitted out with electric headlights and made their first trip yesterday with electricity to light the way.

Charley Kinsman has resigned his position as storekeeper of the Wabash telegraph department, and will attend college at Ann Arbor, Mich.

An Illinois Central civil engineer was in the city yesterday from Chicago in conference with Manager E. J. Martin regarding the Broadway crossing of the Short Line extension.

Engineers Mallett, Pinson and Head, of the Wabash, went to Meredosia yesterday. On their arrival there they engaged an experienced man at $8 a day to kill ducks for them, so they will probably have lots of game when they get back.

Heck Ballou, the well known and popular west end Wabash conductor, left at noon Sunday for Forrest, where he will report for duty as trainmaster of the Chicago division of the Wabash railroad. In this case the office sought the man, a thing of such rare occurrence that it deserves especial mention. Mr. Ballou has been in the employ of the Wabash for many years and his recent promotion from conductor to trainmaster is evidence of the high esteem in which he is held by his employers.—Danville News.

STRAY SCRAPS.

Roland Reed will be here in the "Woman Hater" next week.

Babies and baby carriages were out on the streets in force yesterday.

What are your ideas of a good sermon? Address replies to the H. D.

The great Union Square Theater success, "Three Wives to One Husband," to-night at the Grand Opera House.

The total sales of stamps, postal cards and envelopes in the Decatur post office for the month of March, amounts to $2888.78.

A handsome new meat delivery wagon for "A. Benz's, 316 Monroe street, Spokane Falls," passed through the city yesterday.

T. J. McDermott, the Irish temperance lecturer, has just completed the organization of a large county lodge of Good Templars at Hammond.

Rudolph Pigorsch, Carl Thamm and Patrick Mauster took out their final naturalization papers yesterday, and cast their first votes yesterday.

W. H. Carroll, M. McMahon and O. W. Kincaid were arrested yesterday for selling liquor on Sunday. They will have a hearing before Justice Provost Friday morning.

Considerable speculating has been done as to whether or not Booth and Modjeska would be here this season. There is a likelihood that they will, but the prices will be in proportion to the character of the entertainment.

Three gentlemen living in the northern part of the city, took a Citizens' car last evening for their home, and were compelled to remain in the car, sidetracked on North Water street, for over 20 minutes. They finally left the car, as they thought that the speediest way to get home. This is schedule time with a vengeance.

A horse attached to a new buggy, and being driven at a pretty rapid gate, ran too near one of Stevens Bros.' coal wagons, on Broadway yesterday, and one of the front wheels of the buggy collided with the coal wagon and was broken into pieces. No one was hurt.

The Young People's Society of the Universalist church to-night will discuss, "What, if any, theatrical entertainments can we profitably attend?" Charles C. Leforgee will lead. Others follow with five minute talks. Special music by D. L. Bunn, the choir and Mrs. K. Harwood has been arranged. All are invited to attend.

A young lady named—but never mind the name—was riding a bicycle on West Eldorado street yesterday and while trying to make a short curve, was thrown from the saddle, and made two or three curves before she commenced tearing up the earth with her system. She didn't appear daunted in the least and as soon as her steed was stilled she remounted and rode away.

Almost a Blaze.

A meteoric object was seen emerging from a window in the rooms of the Decatur lodge of Good Templars last evening, and as it swiftly decended to the earth, it left a streak of light behind it, and sent wonder and fear ahead of it. Upon investigation it was found to be a lamp that some young lady upset in the lodge room and which was caught up and thrown out of the window to prevent a possible explosion and almost certain conflagration.

This Sucker Bit.

The Decatur Bottling works' wagon caused a little excitement, but no damage, by running away on East Main street yesterday.—REVIEW, Tuesday morning.

The above absurdity appeared in the Decatur REVIEW this morning, and is, indeed, if true, a most wonderful circumstance. How a wagon can cause excitement by running away, is beyond comprehension. Probably the time is not far distant when even wagons will get up and hustle themselves, when railroad cars will quietly move off without engines or any propelling force. Confine yourselves, gentlemen of THE REVIEW, to probabilities.—Republican, Tuesday evening.

Yesterday was All Fool's day and the "probability" is that the writer of the above commentary did all he could to sustain the reputation of the day.

Good Templars.

Decatur Lodge had one initiation last night and a big meeting. A number of Faithful lodge were present. The union temperance revival was earnestly discussed and arrangement made for attending the revival meeting in a body next Tuesday night. Speeches were made by Rev. Sophie Gibb, Jesse Leforgee and others. Messrs. D. L Bunn and Frank Bunn sang solos during the evening.

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